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au24 td

Notice.

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an12 1m

Notice

NOTICE is hereby given, that the undersigned intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a public highway in South Saanich, commencing at section line of section three (3) following section line to northwest corner of section one (1) South Saanich.

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Victoria, Aug. 4, 1885. au1

Notice.

CREDITORS of Augustus Langford Brown late of Happy Valley, Metchosin District deceased, are requested to send their accounts to the undersigned.

J BOLAND HETT,
Barrister at-Law,
Langley street, Victoria.

August 5, 1885. aug5

NOTICE.

THE partnership heretofore existing between A. Thomas David Cyrs and Hester Ann Cross, carrying on business under the style or firm of T. D. Cyrs & Co., of the Theatre Comique, has been dissolved. The undersigned will assume all liabilities and assets of the late firm.

THOMAS D. CYRS.

Victoria, B. C., Aug. 26th, 1885. 1t

Change of Business Notice.

HAVING transferred the Real Estate business; corner Yates and Broad streets, to C. D. Rand, we shall in future conduct a general Shipping, Commission and Manufacturers' Agency business. We will open a Warehouse shortly, when we will have superior facilities for carrying on the above business. Advertisement in a few days.

aug15 tf A. R. MAIN & Co.

Victoria Journal of Commerce.

I HAVE this day severed all connection with the above paper, and will not be responsible for any liabilities of said paper, or for any debts contracted by J. Cohen or C. H. King in connection with the above publication. A. R. MAIN

Victoria, August 10, 1885. au12

Notice.

THE Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company.—The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the Company's Office, Victoria, on Wednesday, 7th day of October next, for the purpose of receiving the report of the Directors, electing the Directors thereof for the ensuing year, and transacting the general business of the Company.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Secretary pro tem.

Dated Victoria, August 24, 1885. au25 td

Theatre Comique.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that this place of amusement will be closed until the arrival of a new troupe, which is shortly expected.

T. D. CYRS.

Victoria, August 12, 1885. aug12tf.

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TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—An article in your issue of the 14th inst., without date or apparent parentage, but which I presume is from your Barkerville correspondent, contains so many misstatements of fact in relation to this case, and reflects so unjustly on my co-defendant, Mr. Stone, and myself that I feel obliged to ask space for a few remarks in reply. At present I shall confine myself to correcting the aberrations from truth of your informant or correspondent; but since the case has now by your paper been brought before the public in such a way as to throw all the odium upon the defendants and a certain "portion of the good people of Barkerville," it seems right in the interest of truth and even-handed justice that the whole facts of the case should be made known through the same channel, from the time of the engagement of the late teacher up to the rendering of judgment in the case. let these facts strike whom they will—whether teacher, trustees, or judge. And having been, through no fault of my own, mixed up in this case, and being pretty thoroughly conversant with the facts brought out in evidence at the trial, as well as with the general conduct of the suit, I shall, with your permission, undertake this exposure in a short series of letters, of which this may be considered the first. Perhaps some of your readers may be disposed to think that the importance of the case will not warrant me in taking up your space as I propose to do; nor would it, but for the fact that the extraordinary conduct of the trial judge, Mr. Harrison, has taken the case out of the circumscribed region of a petty local squabble and made it of interest to all who are concerned for the purity and unimpeachable integrity of our Provincial Bench. This of course includes not only the legal profession but the great possible litigants, as well as those in high places, to whom has been entrusted the power of appointing our judges. As a general rule I believe the decisions of the bench should not be made the subject of newspaper criticism by either victors or vanquished in a suit. Were this a mere question of the right or wrong of the judgment rendered by Mr. Harrison, I should not desire to do more than correct your correspondent's misstatements and justify my colleague and myself from his utterly unwarranted reflections. A much more important principle, however, is involved in this matter and I think will justify me in the course of criticism which I propose to take. Without further preface, therefore, I shall address myself to the task of straightening out your correspondent's distortions of facts, and in doing this I shall take notice of certain errors that may seem trivial; but I do it on the principle that TRUTH IS TRUTH, and that a person who professes to report for a public newspaper the facts of an "important suit" cannot be too particular in the adherence to the truth.

First item, judgment was not given for $600, which moreover was not the full amount claimed by plaintiff, but for $547 50. Costs, of course, followed the judgment, being in our case against the plaintiff, in the other in his favor. The hearing of the case took place not in September but in August last. Your correspondent apparently desires to convey the impression that the subscription list to supplement the government grant was got up specially for Mr. Stirling, the plaintiff, and hence that the fact of our defending the suit at all showed a "despicable spirit." Now this is not the fact. It was got up to induce a certain gentleman with whom parties were acquainted, and who was known to be a good teacher, to take the school. The movement did not originate with the people of Barkerville, for not long before this the government had raised the salary paid here to $1000 a year, and hence it might be presumed that under ordinary circumstances both trustees and people would consider this amount sufficient. Before the subscription list was completed, however, the gentleman first sought declined the engagement and the list was put aside unfinished. On the 15th July, 1881, the superintendent of education wrote Mr. Wilson asking if a teacher had been engaged for the school; and it seems to have been in reply to this that Mr. Wilson, on 3d August, sent a telegram, in which however, there was no "urging to procure a teacher immediately," and which did not state that "the trustees would guarantee * * an addition of $200 per annum." I shall quote and comment on this telegram in a future letter. Meantime I need only say that no one now in town seems to have been aware of its existence till produced in court. I was not in the country at this time and was not elected a trustee until June, 1883 the date also of Mr. Stone's election, and yet in defiance of his own promise to us, of law, reason and common honesty, the plaintiff made us parties to a suit for the full balance claimed by him—a proceeding which the judge very properly characterized as "monstrous." I am not of course personally cognizant of the facts in regard to the getting up of the subscription list, but if I am to believe the subscribers themselves, some of them at least were not aware that Mr. Wilson had promised anything extra to Mr. Sterling. No record was kept of the sending of the telegram, or of its authorization, by the trustees in the official minute book, and hence in law, Mr. Wilson's act was his own and not that of the Board of Trustees. He did not sign the telegram as a trustee; but yet Mr. McKenzie, in directing the plaintiff to go to Barkerville, misled him by stating that "the trustees guarantee $200 extra;" a thing which, under the School Act, the superintendent ought to have known the trustees had no authority to do. Your readers are next informed that during the plaintiff's three years stay as teacher he, "at various times, requested payment of the extra sum promised." The fact is that according to his sworn evidence, at the trial, he, on two or three occasions, during the first year, asked Wilson and Pendola for payment, on account, but never Mr. Nason. That during the second year he only once spoke to Pendola on the subject; and during his third year I know, having been a trustees, that he never formally requested from the then trustees payment of the extra sum alleged to have been promised by their predecessors; but knowing that he had a claim of some kind, I asked him to lay before us its nature and the grounds upon which he based it. He neglected to do this, and neither Mr. Stone nor myself knew till after he had ceased teaching what was the exact nature of his claim. It is as far as possible from the truth for your correspondent to say that Mr. Stone and myself "made no effort to effect a settlement, but flouted the just claims of the plaintiff." The fact is that soon after assuming office we voluntarily took steps which, but for the plaintiff's own negligence, would certainly have led to a settlement; and a few days after the plaintiff's first formal demand upon the trustees for a settlement, we procured a meeting of the subscribers in order to bring about a settlement, but in vain. It was moreover owing to our advice that the small sum collected two years before was paid over to the plaintiff in the fall of 1883. Again before suit was instituted, in the summer of 1884, we made every possible effort to induce the plaintiff to come to an amicable settlement or compromise, but in vain. There seemed to be some malign influence at work on the plaintiff's mind—perhaps that of your very malicious correspondent—which rendered all our efforts nugatory. At this interview we pointed out to the plaintiff that he ought to have insisted on a settlement of his claim year by year; that not having done so he ought not to expect us now to raise the full amount alleged to be due for the three years; that he might as reasonably have delayed his demand for a settlement for ten years as for three—a remark which the judge repeated to him at the trial almost word for word; that at all events trustees could not under the act make any agreement binding on their successors of the nature of that alleged to have been made; that the full amount alleged to have been promised yearly was never subscribed; that the largest subscriber had over two years before left the province; and that it would now be difficult if not impossible to raise for him all to which he thought himself entitled. We therefore urged him in the interest of good feeling and friendship to accept the best settlement that could now be had amicably, putting down any loss which he might sustain to his own negligence as much as to that of the former trustees. We offered to aid him in procuring such a settlement; but if, rejecting our friendly assistance, he chose to appeal to law, he must establish his claim by law alone, and must expect us to fight him to the last. It is hardly worth while correcting your correspondent's statement of the "pleas" set up by the defence—not one of which was actually made as stated. The "great dissatisfaction and general disapprobation manifested by our people (really our people!!) at the course taken by the defendants" was confined to a very small following of the strabismus leader who stood behind the hedge "hounding on" the plaintiff in his endeavor by process of law to pick the pockets of Mr. Stone and myself. Another correction, and I have done for the present. Your correspondent says: "Several subscribers to the fund * * before suit was instituted * * ungrudgingly paid the full amount subscribed. Among these were Mr. Nason and Mr. Munro * * two of the heaviest subscribers." This is altogether false. The "heaviest subscribers" were for $25 and $20 each. Mr. Nason was not one of them, and he paid his subscription to the plaintiff in person in September last, several weeks after the hearing of the case—a strange proceeding to be ignored as it was by the judge. Mr. Munro sent his subscription to the registrar of the court after the trial, under similar circumstances to the gentleman so fondly libelled in your correspondent's closing paragraph, but not so promptly, and not before he had sought, as I know, to pay it to the plaintiff under conditions with which it was impossible he could comply. In both these cases the money was returned by order of the judge. In little over half a column of space your correspondent makes at least fourteen misstatements of fact. Why? Not because he did not know or might not at least have learned the truth. I cannot explain the enigma, excepting on the ground of his innate and incorrigible faculty for distorting whatever he sees or hears. It is to be regretted that a person of this kind should have access to the columns of a respectable newspaper.

I am yours faithfully,

H. WATT, M. D.

Barkerville, 22 August, 1885.

THE RIEL PETITION.

Form of the Petition—Circulating in Riel's Favor.

WINNIPEG, Aug. 29.—The following petition is being circulated all over the province among the French Canadians:

To the Governor-General of Canada: The undersigned electors of the province of Manitoba, in public meetings assembled at various times and in divers localities, respectfully show that your petitioners have followed with interest the various stages of the trial at Regina which resulted in the sentencing of Louis Riel, indicted for high treason, to be hanged; that your petitioners in view of the gravity of the crime and circumstances relating to it, believe that it is in the interests of justice and public order that all necessary delays be granted, so as to have the case examined by the court of appeal of Manitoba, and, if deemed necessary, by the privy council in England, with the object of deciding the question of jurisdiction and competency of the court raised by the defense in the trial, and also in order that no doubt may remain in the minds of the people as to the legality of the constitution of the tribunal before which the case was tried; that evidence taken during the trial clearly established the existence of serious doubt as to the mental condition of the accused, and therefore upon the responsibility of his doings that there is very reason to believe that it is to that doubt that is due the recommendation to the clemency of the court made by the jury which sat upon the case. Wherefore your petitioners all pray your excellency that you be pleased to take this petition into consideration, and direct that necessary delays and respite be granted; and also to appoint a commission of alienists whose duty it shall be to study and state the mental condition of the condemned.

The petition is similar to those being circulated in Quebec, and which were agreed upon by the French Canadians of the Dominion. Public meetings are being held in the province to work up the interest in Riel's case. Counter petitions are being circulated in the province.

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The above gathering took place in the agricultural grounds, New Westminster, on Wednesday last. The attendance during the afternoon was considerable, the receipts netting about $300. It was a great disappointment to every one that the density of the fog prevented the arrival of the visiting brethren from Victoria. Likewise the absence of the societies' piper, Mr. Kennedy, who was unable to be present. The games and sports were keenly contested by the various competitors. It is evident a fine race of stalwart athletes is arising in the province who will yet make creditable records. The judges were Messrs. R. Campbell, A. Robertson and J. Punch. The following is the programme of the

GAMES AND SPORTS:

Putting the heavy stone, (21 lbs.), 1st prize, A Munn, $5; 2nd, J Murray, $2.50; putting light stone, (14 lbs.), 1st prize, A Munn, $3; 2nd, J Murray, $2; quoits, (21 yards), 1st prize, R White, $4; tossing the caber, 1st prize, W Balfour, $5; pole vaulting, 1st prize, R White, $4; 2nd, B Eickhoff, $2; throwing the heavy hammer, (18 lbs.), handle 3½ feet, 1st prize, W Balfour, $4; 2nd, J Murray, $2; throwing the light hammer, (12 lbs.), handle 3½ feet, 1st prize, W Balfour, $3; 2nd, J Murray, $2.

Running and jumping. Judges: Messrs. Geo. Black, J. Rankin, J. O. McLeod. Running long jump, 1st prize, Alex Morrison, $4; 2nd, J Murray, $2; running hop, step and jump, 1st prize, A Morrison, $3; 2nd, Eickhoff, $1.50; standing high jump, 1st prize, R White, $3; 2nd, A Morrison, $2; standing long jump, 1st prize, B Eichhoff, $3; 2nd, A Morrison, $2; running high jump, 1st prize, R White, $4; 2nd, J Murray, $2; wheelbarrow race, 1st prize, A Morrison and J Murray, $3; 2nd, McLean and Eickhoff, $2; long race, four laps of ground, 1st prize, A Morrison, $4; 2nd, B Eickhoff, $2; boys' race, under 16, no entrance, 1st prize, Springer, $2; 2nd, H Hammell, $1; tug of war, members of the society vs. militia, 10 men each, the rope broke.

The appearance on the ground of Chief Bonson, and clansmen Black, Ross, McGregor, Mowat and Rankin in their garb of the Gael, which arrived a few days previously from the establishment of Mr. Macdougall, the famous costume maker, of Inverness, Scotland, was the theme of general remark. The tartan adopted was that of the Royal Stuart pattern, which is an exceedingly handsome one when made up, and especially so when that garment covers such manly forms as those of the gentlemen above named.

The event of the occasion, however, was the ball in the evening, which was attended by the elite of the Royal city as well as many from the surrounding country, as well as visitors who were in the city. The ball was opened by the competitive dancing, which had been delayed in the hope of the Victoria visitors being present. The ball was a great success, both in point of numbers and the manner in which the programme was carried out. The ladies and gentlemen were elegantly dressed, and each and all expressed themselves as greatly pleased with the affair. The committee of management for the ball were Messrs. Shadwell, T. Mowat, D. Wilson, S. T. McIntosh and Lieut. McColl. Not until old Sol had arisen well in the horizon across the Fraser did the merry makers deem it prudent to withdraw from the scene of pleasure.

THE DANCING

of which Mrs. Bonson, Miss Mary R. Davidson and Mr. McGregor were judges took place in the evening. Mrs. James Laidlaw who had consented to act as a judge was disappointed in being present on account of the non-arrival of the Yosemite; Mrs. Senator McInnes was likewise unable to attend.

The first on the programme was the Highland fling, 5 entries; 1st J. Murray, $3; Ghillie Callum, J. Murray, $3. There were no entries for the Scotch reel. Best dressed Highlander, $5, H. H. Bonson. Best dressed boy, Highland costume, $3, F. Howay. Best dressed girl, Highland costume, $3, Miss Nellie Bonson.

VISIT OF THE VICTORIANS.

An invitation had been extended to the president and officers of the society here to be present with their brethren of New Westminster on this occasion of their annual games. Capt. Irving had likewise reduced the fare for the round trip to $2. It was hoped that a large number would take advantage of the occasion and pay a visit to the mainland. For some days back the fog has been so dense that navigation is imperilled, and movements of the steamers very uncertain. On Tuesday it was hoped the weather would clear, but that wish was vain, for at the usual hour of the Yosemite's departure there were not more than sixty or seventy on board. The fog was so heavy that not until after 11 o'clock did she leave the C. P. N. Co.'s wharf. On reaching the outer wharf the weather again blackened. Here she pulled up to the wharf and took on board some fruit and perishable freight for the mainland. She steamed away, but only got as far as Gordon Head when the fog became so thick that it was deemed prudent to drop the anchor. The bells were then rung. It soon become known that the Yosemite was not alone in her stoppage, for she had the companionship of the Amelia and the Teaser, all of which were within a few hundred yards of each other. A slight rising of the fog took place and off again all the befogged vessels started. On reaching the sandheads the fog difficulty became greater than ever. The channel could not be struck, nor the light ship or buoys observed. Safe anchorage was found and there the Yosemite remained for the night. The passengers finding themselves safely quartered for the night set to work to enjoy themselves. Messrs. Thos. Russell and William Lorimer got up races and other sports for the boys. Prizes, varying from 50 cents downwards were awarded. The same gentlemen, aided by Capt. Rudlin, Purser Bishop, the steward, and other officers likewise arranged for a concert in the evening. Mr. L. F. Cross was on board with a company who were going to make a tour of the mainland. A programme was prepared and performed by Mr. and Mrs. Archie in capital style. Mr. Archie's songs were of a comic character, while those of Mrs. Archie were largely the national ballads and songs of Scotland. This concert finished, an amateur one was started, in which Messrs. McArthur, Grieve, Jas. Russell, J. S. Patterson, Geo. Bishop, Dr. Renwick and others took part. A most enjoyable time was thus spent, all participating in the entertainments heartily. Not until the second hour, "Ayent the twal," did many find repose in their staterooms.

NEW WESTMINSTER REACHED.

About noon on Thursday the anchor was weighed, the channel having been discovered by the captain and a crew in a row boat, who went in search of the long looked for passage. At two o'clock the Royal city wharf was reached. The slogan of Piper Carmichael's pipers had been heard over the screech of the steamer's whistle, and a hasty run pell mell was made by the citizens for the wharf. Rousing cheers were given for the Victorians, who were now engrossed in a lively reel much to the amusement of the onlookers on the wharf. So handsome did Mr. Carmichael appear, and so overpowering were his martial strains that the multitude of Chinese assembled at the lower end of the wharf supposed him to be a great and mighty king who had arrived from a foreign clime and that those accompanying him were his attendants. On disembarking the visiting brethren were conducted to the Colonial hotel where an excellent repast had been prepared for them by the members of the resident society. After partaking of refreshments a good old-fashioned Scotch reel was indulged in by a couple from Victoria and a couple from New Westminster.

AN ADDRESS OF WELCOME.

Chief Bonson presented the following address to the president, officers and members of the Victoria society:

To the Chief, officers and members of the Victoria St. Andrews and Caledonian Society: On behalf of the New Westminister Caledonian and St. Andrews Society allow me to bid you a right hearty welcome to the Royal City, to join with us in the celebration of our national games and sports, in perpetuation of the memory of our noble ancestry, the sons of auld Scotia, who have ever since the days of "Lang Syne," by their love of country, generosity of nature and devotion to duty, added lustre to the crown of Great Britain and made the name of Scotchmen famous throughout the world. We are pleased to know that when we meet on occasions of this kind we lay aside all local prejudices, and differences of opinion, and determine that Scotchmen and sons of Scotchmen—from whatever part of the globe assembled—shall enjoy themselves to the fullest extent, and display that genuine goodhumor so characteristic of our race. Again, I extend a hearty welcome, not only to your society, but to all Scotchmen, descendants of Scotchmen and the friends generally who have honored us with their presence to-day. May joy and peace be with all on this and similar occasions, and success and happiness always be ours.

L. F. BONSON, Chief.

The President of the Victoria St. Andrews and Caledonia Society, John Boyd, Esq., responded. He said that it was a great disappointment to him at not being present with the brethren of New Westminster on the occasion of their annual gathering. Unfortunately, however, we had no control of the elements, and he believed the regret was mutual. He hoped that in the future these societies would be able to fraternize with each other to a greater extent than they had done in the past. He believed such visitations were productive of much good and hoped that the present was but the beginning of a better and closer relationship between the societies on the coast which were now becoming very numerous. They were of a charitable character to those in need, but of no benefit to the officers and those engaged in the management. He believed there were no other societies so universal as the St. Andrews and Caledonia Societies, and wherever Scotchmen were to be met with so were our national societies. It was a matter of history known to to everyone that Scotchmen everywhere were occupying the most responsible positions, especially those where honesty of purpose and probity were essential. He thanked his "brither Scots" of the Royal city for their cordial welcome and the greeting extended the Victorians would not soon be forgotten by them. In conclusion he wished their society abundant success.

Mr. Thomas Russell was next called on to make a few remarks. He did so in his usual fluent and pleasing way. He endorsed every remark made by the president and trusted that on all similar occasions hereafter the Victorians and New Westminster people would be found paying annual visits to each other. He would express the wish that the fullest measure of prosperity would be that of the Royal city's St. Andrew's and Caledonia Society. Though not with them yesterday in person, his best wishes and sympathies were with them. To him especially it was a great disappointment, but the elements were against us and to help it was beyond the power of mortal man. Nevertheless this present reception would be accepted as an expression of the good will entertained by the Scotchmen of New Westminster to those of Victoria, and he assured them the compliment was a reciprocal one. He was certain much good fellowship would result from such courtesies as we were now exchanging.

Piper Carmichael then led the way through several of the streets, followed by a great throng of people, some of whom were attired in Highland costume, to the steamer, where a good old fashioned reel was danced before the Yosemite left the wharf. As she was leaving her moorings enthusiastic cheers were called for and given to the Victorians, who, in return, almost shouted themselves hoarse in response. Shortly after 7 o'clock the Yosemite reached Ladner's, where she remained till 9 o'clock, at Friday morning. During the evening another impromptu concert was given by Mr. and Mrs. Archie.

On Friday morning another start was made, as the fog had cleared up considerably. But the hope of being able to reach Victoria early in the afternoon, was again dashed to atoms, when about opposite Cedar Hill the anchor was again dropped, so dense had the fog become. Here another stoppage of a few hours took place. Amusements were again indulged in to wear away time, which now was becoming heavy on the hands of the excursionists. Glad were they to greet the signal to Engineer McIver to open the steam chest and set the floating palace in motion for her port here, where she arrived at 5 o'clock. The trip though unavoidable delays occurred, was so enjoyable one throughout.

—Captain Peole, of New Westminster, reports the rainfall for last month 0.02 of an inch. This is 1.92 below the mean for the past ten years, and 2 is the lowest rainfall ever recorded.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS.

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PHIL. D. ARMOUR, who engineers big deals in pork, corn and wheat, is worth fully $20,000,000.

IT is believed in New York that JAY GOULD has lost several million dollars by being caught short recently.

MRS. BELVA A. LOCKWOOD has a letter in the *Pall Mall Gazette* of London extolling the "Maiden Tribute" articles in that journal.

THE Mayor of Montreal has received a cheque for $500 from HON. DONALD A. SMITH, as a contribution to the small-pox fund.

SOME of the *Pall Mall Gazette's* contemporaries in London charge that the *Pall Mall's* special revelations were drawn from old police court records.

WASHINGTON Territory papers detail the earnest efforts of the authorities and citizens to have the Territory well represented at the New Orleans exposition next autumn and winter.

THE Dominion government is hotly abused by some Canadian journals for its sinful neglect of the leper hospital at Tracadie, of which it assumed control some years ago. The hospital is in a loathesome condition.

THE Russian and Austrian Emperors (also the Empresses) have met, kissed and embraced, and now it only remains for PRINCE BISMARCK to step in, pronounce the benediction and secure the peace of Europe.

HON. J. A. CHAPLEAU, secretary of state, who is at present in France for the benefit of his health, is gaining strength every day and hopes to be home again by the 1st of October at the least.

RECENT reports of the nature of HON. ALEX. MACKENZIE's illness, it is understood on good authority, have been greatly exaggerated. Though not robust, there is nothing in the state of the ex-premier's health to cause alarm on the part of his friends.

MR. DONALD GRANT, railway contractor, has returned to Winnipeg from the West, having completed the new road between Medicine Hat on the Canadian Pacific to Lethbridge, headquarters of the Galt coal mines, and not far from Fort MacLeod. The road was to open for travel on the first of this month.

TO TEST the practicability of a British peasant proprietorship, COL. WALKER, of Colchester, recently offered for sale thirty-eight small plots of agricultural land, free from tithe or land tax. The terms were 20 per cent cash, and the remainder payable in ten annual instalments, but not a bidder presented himself.

A DUBLIN dispatch mentions a "fearful increase" of crime in Kerry county, Ireland. These reports should be received with caution. It should be remembered that exaggerated tales of Irish crime constitute part of the political machinery of both parties in England, and now that the Tories are in power, Liberals will not be wanting who will try to disparage CARNARVON's administration of Irish affairs.

THE result of the coming meeting of the Transcontinental association in St. Paul will be watched with interest as it may possibly exert an important influence on the business future of both St. Paul and Minneapolis. Should the association be broken up, as many believe it will be, and should the Northern Pacific be compelled to become a San Francisco line, the merchants of the two cities would find that the horizon of their activities would be greatly enlarged.

Ontario has taken the first step towards carrying out on the Canadian side of the Niagara cataract the work, so well begun by New York, of making the neighborhood of the falls a national park, free from all the annoyances to travellers and extortion that have brought such reproach to the two countries that long tolerated them. The expense will be heavy, but all lovers of the beautiful will hope that the provincial government will be able to see a way of meeting it, and thus earn the gratitude of the thousands who make the journey from all parts of the world to gaze upon one of the grandest spectacles in nature.

THE IRISH QUESTION.

There is no longer any room to doubt that Dublin Castle is doomed. It has been for a long time, to the great mass of the Irish population, a symbol of despotism. No matter what party was in power, those who constituted the officials of the Castle represented whatever was despotic in Irish politics. The officials of the Castle took the least favorable view of the situation, and their advice was generally in favor of coercive measures. It is often said that the government that employes detectives is pretty sure to find its suspicions warranted, no matter how unfounded, and so the officials of Dublin Castle have always magnified their importance in the estimation of those to whom the government of the island was entrusted by taking gloomy views of the state of affairs. The most advanced section of the Reform party have long been in favor of a radical change. Every prominent man associated with the government of Ireland under MR. GLADSTONE's regime felt that it was desirable to put an end to the Lord-Lieutenancy, and to completely incorporate Ireland with the rest of the United Kingdom. MR. CLIFFORD LLOYD and LORD RANDOLPH CHURCHILL have both committed themselves to radical changes, and both parties now admit that an Irish Secretary would be a more useful official in the government without Dublin Castle. But as for entire separation, the government of the United Kingdom will no more consent to it than the Government of Washington did to the establishment of another Federal Legislature at Richmond. Local self-government is one thing, disintegration is another and a different thing. The first is reasonable, the second would lead to mutual destruction.

The effect upon English parties of MR. PARNELL's declaration of uncompromising war is far more easily calculable than the effect of his programme, if unyieldingly carried out as it probably will be, upon the future of England and of Ireland itself. The struggle has reached a final stage. The tactics of parliamentary agitation have brought the Irish leaders within sight of the goal of their hopes. The question, now is, can they reach it? It would be easier to give a confident answer to this question if MR. PARNELL did not conceal his ultimate object behind a phrase which may mean either of two things that are as far apart as the poles. "Legislative independence" is what he terms it. But by legislative independence he may understand simply what has been understood by "home rule," that is, the management of local affairs by a local representative assembly. Or he may understand the restoration of the Irish parliament, with a wide latitude of action. No great search is needed to learn why England should eye askance a movement that might imply so much. Nothing could be more reasonable than the proposition that the people of Ireland should control their own local affairs. To us, government of Ireland by the old system is not only oppressive but unintelligible. But the fact is that the Englishman dares not contemplate an Irish parliament at all. He knows the spirit that ages of discontent and hardship have generated. He knows that no Irish parliament which could be chosen would limit itself to the consideration of local measures, or leave unmolested those remaining portions of the ancient system which are still productive of misery and heart-burning. On the other hand, separation from the United Kingdom or anything that implies separation will not even be listened to by England. Nothing short of superior force on the part of Ireland can bring that about. And MR. PARNELL, having in memory his recent successes, may easily push things too far. His power helped to mature Liberal plans and tempted the Conservatives to an alliance which they must be bitterly repenting in these days. He will come into the next parliament with a solid Irish party behind him, pledged to do his bidding for good or for ill. He threatens to use that power to block all business if his demands are not conceded. He can do that, by virtue of the rules of procedure of the House of Commons, even though both parties should combine against him. It might be well for him to remember that there are limits to English patience if not to English stubbornness. Possibilities he could compass by obstruction. Impossibilities are not to be had that way. And the carrying out of the policy which he announces, if his demands are such as England will not grant, would involve not the coercion of parliament, but the exclusion of the Irish members and the return to that regime of terror whose recent departure was welcomed by Ireland and Ireland's friends. MR. PARNELL is powerful, but not omnipotent. Home rule we believe to be within the reach of the party which he has guided so skillfully. There are other things which England will not yield to persuasion or menace, and one of them is anything that looks toward a dissolution of the United Kingdom. It is possible by asking too much not only to get nothing, but to lose something already slowly and hardly won.

NEAREST HOME COLONY.

The London *Morning Post* comments favorably on two emigration pamphlets just issued in England by MR. ALEXANDER BEGG, agent of the Canadian Pacific railway. They are respectively entitled "Plain Facts" and "Practical Hints to Farmers in the Northwest," and their contents are made up of a series of answers to definite questions which have been given by some 250 settlers in that country. The names and addresses of all are given in full. Advice is given in them as to what class of emigrants is most likely to succeed and the capital required for a start in the new country, what those already there have accomplished being set forth as an inducement to others to follow. The answers to the questions cover every point that can be raised, referring to the climate, the crops, time of sowing, nature of the soil, fuel, domestic animals, the railways and terms on which land can be acquired, the prices of provisions, implements, etc., are all set out at length, and give an intending emigrant a good idea of what these will cost him. The *Post* concludes: As Canada is our nearest home colony, it is well that we are able to state to the 400,000 who are every year looking out for a new home that—given enterprise and a little capital—there is no new country that offers better facilities to get on. And in peopling it we are also extending and maintaining our own British Empire.

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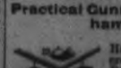
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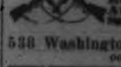
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Victoria, Saturday, Sept. 5, 1885.

AUNT MADELINE.

[Bignor Max in Detroit Free Press.]

"Egad! she's the only really beautiful old woman I ever saw."

The speaker was one of a group of men who stood on the steps of a church one Sunday morning a few years ago in a fair city of which we all know.

The group had apparently been discussing the woman whose appearance called forth the exclamation. I followed the direction of their looks and found ample warrant for the emphatic utterance which I had overheard.

The association of old age with uncommon womanly beauty in one person is rare enough to excuse the curiosity that impelled me to learn this woman's history. I will not, therefore, offer any apology for what the reader, and possibly the lady herself, may regard as an impertinence. It is a fact that I did learn the story of her life, stranger though I am in the city that is her home. It is not a thrilling tale. There is in it not one essentially dramatic incident. Yet it moves me to deep emotion and stirs within me a softer admiration than the story of many a life that genius has snatched out of the common for immortality.

Aunt Madeline (for so she is called by those who love her) would smile in mild reproof if any one were to say to her, "You are beautiful"—so many years have come and gone since she gave much thought for herself. Hers is a two-fold beauty, being made up of those singular graces of person which attracted the notice of the group at church on that Sunday morning and the higher graces of a life that is consecrated to others without flourish or pretense of self-abnegation.

I shall first try to tell how she appeared from my own point of view. The narrative proper shall be in the words of the pastor, to whom I am bound for it, as nearly as I can set them down.

The figure is tall and the carriage graceful. She walks like one accustomed to free exercise. Her attire is undeniably elegant. The least practical observer of such things may see at a glance that it came from the hands of a fashionable maker. I determine, therefore, that she is not too poor to gratify her natural woman's taste for daintiness of dress. Her face quite baffles my powers of description. It is the face of 60 years. That I have learned; but when looking into it one does not think of its years. I can not say that it conforms to any established standard of beauty, having neither a "pretty" chin nor the "soulful eyes" of which we hear so much in verbal portraits of beautiful women. Nevertheless I am ready to stake my judgment on the general proposition that it is one of the loveliest faces that was ever seen out of dreams. The nose, I must say, is of perfect mold; the hair is a pure white mass arranged in a Grecian coil at the back, parted in the middle and falling in fleecy waves over the temples, and covering the ears and forming a truly artistic frame for the never to be forgotten face.

She speaks to a young girl at her side, and her smile discloses a mouth full of natural teeth, whose whiteness time has not touched and whose perfect symmetry is unbroken.

Her skin is clear and fresh—an eloquent tribute to right living and a sign of freedom from those vanities of women on which the fortunes of nostrum makers are built.

One cannot doubt that she is an old woman, but her years are years of peace, of purity, of sweet piety, of wholesome restraints. I do not marvel that her face is glorified.

"Aunt Madeline was one of two sisters," said my friend, the pastor, in beginning the recital which I am to reproduce. "Her father was a politician, and an honest man. He loved truth for its own sake, and though he filled many offices he died poor, leaving his motherless daughters nothing in the way of fortune except the modest home in which they were born and reared. Madeline was 20 and Ethel, her sister, 15 when they were called to face the world. A Rvellhood must be made for both, and it was clear enough that only one of them could undertake the dubious task. The child Ethel assuredly was not equipped for it. Madeline alone must roll the heavy stone up the hill.

"With what resolute courage and simple faith in herself she set to work, we who have always known her best understood. She made no feeble appeals for help. A few of us gave her counsel from time to time, when she asked it, but that was all. She ceased to ask even so much long years ago, and I, at least, have many times been proud to be counseled by her; for a wiser woman I never knew.

"After her father's funeral expenses were settled there may have been $50 in the house. Madeline saw that immediate action was imperative. What should she—what could she—do to earn an income? It was not hard to answer the question. In her happier and leisure girlhood she had moderately developed a faculty for writing children's stories, some of which had found their way into print. She resolved to make a serious test of her powers in that direction, and in the course of a few weeks, urged on by necessity, she produced a small volume of tales. A publisher was found who undertook to put the volume forth and pay Madeline a fair royalty. The venture was moderately prosperous. Others followed, and after ten years of struggle the hard-worked author found herself in possession of an income that was more than sufficient for her own and Ethel's needs. It was about this time that Ethel married. Madeline was now 20 and unmarried. She still remains unmarried, and on that fact hinges the noble devotion and the single heartedness of this woman whose life has been a beautiful and constant exemplification of faith in the dear God whom she serves with such unostentatious zeal.

"In the early days of her struggle she loved and promised herself in marriage to Joe Bertram. He loved Madeline, too, in his way, and, I do not doubt, meant to make her happy. Joe was in professional life—had made a promising start, and we all thought he was destined to take a commanding place. But good fellowship was his ruin. When I look back upon it the swiftness of his descent appalls me. The convivial habit, which at first manifested itself in occasional nights of gayety, soon became unmanageable. His business suffered from neglect. The blear look, and blasphemous speech of the drunkard succeeded to the place of gallant and high-minded Joe Bertram—and he must once have been all that to have awakened love in a heart of gold like Madeline's. To look at her placid face now you would hardly believe there was a time when she would have accepted the martyrdom of fire for Joe Bertram's sake—for her love's sake, but I tell you that love was long the imperious and dominating passion of her life.

"I do not suppose that this part of her story is out of the common experience of women, but Madeline's was a love that stood at nothing short of crime. Not Joe's degradation quenched it, not her loss of respect for him weakened it, not death itself was powerful enough to lay it in the dust. Through degradation, through pity for his fall, through the black shadow of a shameful death, it mounted, a steadfast flame, and it has shone undimmed upon her pathway during all her solitary years.

"She loved Joe then. She loves him now. She will never cease to love him.

"But how bravely she has lived! When her grief over poor Joe's early death was spent Ethel died. The husband who had been century attached to her strangely disappeared, and two other children had been left helpless but for Madeline—Aunt Madeline, as everybody called her since that time. She gave them more than a mother's solicitude and care, and all a mother's love. She worked for them, reared them, educated them. Now both are married, and their children are daily taught to ask God's blessing on the dear saint who waits, but not in idleness, for the Voice of Mercy to proclaim the end of earthly love and duty. Her home is musical with the romp and laughter of happy children, the house cat purrs in sleek content, and the scent of flowers pervades the room where peace broods and Madeline's gracious presence reigns."

In the soft summer afternoon she sits and dreams. The little old-fashioned locket, in which Joe Bertram's picture has lain for thirty years, hangs on her bosom.

Little Daisy comes leaping into the room.

"Aunt Madeline, you ain't an old maid, is you?"

"Yes, dear (the chin droops lower and rests upon Joe's locket), yes, dear babe, an—old—maid."

ELECTRICITY AND ITS USES.

The Inventor of the Telephone in His Laboratory—Scientific Conquests.

[Inter Ocean.]

Professor Bell, it might be thought, after having given to the world the telephone, would be content with his scientific conquests, but he is still actively at work upon problems of sound and electricity in a way that promises an invention of far greater importance scientifically and practically, than the telephone itself. His laboratory is an old-fashioned two story house on Connecticut avenue in the neighborhood of the British legation, Judge Stanley Matthews, and the residence of Mrs. John Davis. He also has a private and secret laboratory over in Georgetown where at present he has a most skillful workman engaged upon the forthcoming instrument. What it is is known only to the professor and the man who is working at the idea. The great inventor has said to his friends that if he succeeds the new idea will yield him greater returns than the telephone has. It is suspected, however, by those who have given some attention to the course of Professor Bell's thought upon the subject that it is the photophone, or the use of electricity to reproduce over the wires the image of the person speaking before the instrument.

Professor Bell is a man of prodigious mental energy; he is constantly developing new ideas and new applications of electrical force for the production of useful machines. He throws them off as easily and carelessly as you can fancy. For instance, he made not long ago an instrument called the audiometer, perhaps not a dozen of them have been made. It consists of magnetic cylinders graduated to each other. These cylinders will indicate by measurement how much sound it is possible for a deaf person to hear, and if they can hear any at all. Professor Bell has also devised an instrument, which might be called the submarine telephone, by which can be ascertained by the echo from a stone dropped upon the bottom of the bay or river in which the craft may be floating just what the depth is at that point. He has also utilized the telephone to record the echo at sea which may show the distance of icebergs and other obstructions. Even a buoy can be distinguished by its use. Professor Bell is gradually growing out of all business pursuits and devoting himself to the improvement of the deaf. He is constantly giving more and more time to his little school, where he has perhaps a score of pupils, most all of them wholly deaf, to whom he is teaching the art of sight language. He is training these little children so that they can distinguish from the lips and face of the person speaking what they say, and teaching them to imitate the proper arrangement of the lips, teeth, and tongue, so that they may articulate sounds. It is understood also that Professor Bell is at work upon the problem of resolving heat at once into electricity. A result, if it can be obtained, that will greatly simplify and cheapen all uses of electricity.

A Waterloo Medal Found.

[Charleston News and Courier.]

An extremely rare and curious military medal was recently found under a kitchen in this city. On one side it has the words: "For courage, good conduct, and faithful service. Hindostan. Seventy-first Highland Light Infantry. Ten years' service." On the other side are the words: "Peninsula, Rolela, Vimiera, Vittoria, Almaraz, Nive, Pyrenees, Orthes, Waterloo, Fuentes D'Onor."

The medal is made of composition metal, and is about one and a half inches in diameter. Above and below the words "Seventy-first Highland Light Infantry" are a crown and a hunting-horn respectively, and on the other side is an oval-shaped figure inclosing the cross of St. Andrew, beside which is standing a barefooted pilgrim, the beauty of whose visage has been destroyed by the abrasion of the metal and the lapse of time. As may be inferred from the names Vittoria, Vimiera and Waterloo the original possessor of the medal was one who followed the British flag through the Spanish Peninsula in the war which ended at Waterloo in 1815. The other legend of the medal indicates that the battle-scarred Highlander won new honors and laurels in a later service in East India.

How the medal got to Charleston would be hard to divine, but it is evidently a genuine military relic. It tells a very eloquent tale, and is the mute historian of an old soldier's proud record in peace and in war. It resembles many good things in fiction and romance only in the respect that it is anonymous. The kilted warrior left everything but his name to tell the story.

Grant to the Children.

[Philadelphia Sunday-School Times.]

The Philadelphia Sunday-School Times reproduces as below from its centennial number of June 17, 1876, the following message from President Grant to the children and youth of the country, and says that the words printed in small capitals were doubly underscored by him in his original manuscript:

WASHINGTON, June 6, 1876.—To the editor of The Sunday-School Times, Philadelphia: Your favor of yesterday, asking a message from me to the children and youth of the United States, to accompany your centennial number, is this moment received.

My advice to Sunday schools, no matter what their denomination, is: HOLD FAST TO THE BIBLE as the sheet anchor of your liberties; write its precepts in your hearts and PRACTICE THEM IN YOUR LIVES.

To the influence of this book are we indebted for all the progress made in true civilization, and to this we must look as our guide in the future.

"Righteousness exalteth a nation; but sin is a reproach to any people." Yours respectfully, U. S. GRANT.

A Tender Heart.

[New York Sun.]

Young lady—And so you've really been off on a whaling voyage, Mr. Hardyman?

Mr. Hardyman—Yes.

Young lady—How delightful! I am passionately fond of fishing, too, but I feel sorry sometimes, for the poor little helpless, wriggling things, it seems so cruel.

A Curiosity in Gloves.

[Exposition Notes in Courier Journal.]

In the Southern Pacific railroad exhibit, among the display of gloves, is one owned by a native student of San Francisco made of the skin of a woman.

THE FASHIONS

Midsummer Dresses.

FIG. 1 FIG. 2

Fig. 1 shows a stylish design for a summer evening dress. It is of pale gray China silk, with long apron front and pannier of Angora lace. The skirt is plain, with very narrow pleating at the bottom. The back draping is of the silk. The sash and loopings is of some gay-colored ribbon. The bow in the hair matches the sash in color. The neck of the plain, pointed basque is cut square, with full standing ruff or collar. It may be necessary to run fine wire through the ruff to make it stand alone.

Fig. 2 is a costume of figured foulard and striped silk, the ground the same color in both the stripe and the figured goods. The basque is made of the striped silk, with sleeves and front of the plain. The back of the skirt is in full, plain pleats of the striped silk. The long, unwrinkled apron front is of the figured foulard. Very narrow pleating around bottom of skirt. The feature of this costume is its elegant plainness. The hat is of the plain foulard goods, trimmed with the color of the stripe.

FIG. 3 FIG. 4

Fig. 3 shows a pretty little dress of cream gauze veiling for a girl of 15. Skirt trimmed diagonally with blue Ottoman ribbon; gathered waist with belt that is caught underneath in a pulled effect, closing on the left with tiny buttons; the belt, tufts on sleeves, and trimming on waist outlining a yoke, all of bias Ottoman ribbon. Six yards of veiling, eight and one-half yards of blue ribbon, three-quarters of a yard of bias silk.

Fig. 4 is a China silk calling costume. China silk is popular this summer. In this dress the new fashion of using buckles profusely is shown. The buckles pass through small loops of velvet ribbon. The suit is made of the silk in two colors, one trimmed with small buds, the other with raised dots. The dark forms a panel and plastron, the light a full-draped skirt opening over the panel, the waist has the Quaker front with soft sash, and wide loops and short ends in the back; buckles ornamenting sleeves and side of waist.

Leek Embroidery.

In the town of Leek, in Staffordshire, England, a public-spirited woman established an embroidery society. It is an association of ladies, art lovers, who do embroidery at their homes, and meet to receive instruction at stated times from the director, Mrs. Warble. They work under her orders, she making the combination of color, material, and thread, etc. It is a useful as well as pleasant society, since the women do the work largely for sale. They find no difficulty in this. Their work is so artistic that it finds a ready market.

There is in India a species of wild silkworm. The webs from their cocoons are made into a peculiar thread for the embroidery needle. It is called "tussor" silk, when the product of these wild cocoons is made into dress fabrics. The Leek embroidery made with this thread is becoming well known as a distinctive kind. A writer says: "Tussor embroidery silk is pure—that is, not spun—but it has a curious broken lustre in place of the soft brilliancy of cultivated silks. It only takes certain dyes, but it takes these with peculiar softness, and has a beauty of its own which is distinctive from any other yarn. It can be used with other silks with very good effect, the Italian or Chinese silk giving the high lights."

Bonnets in Paris.

Bonnets, while still very varied, are considerably more moderate in style. The pointed bonnets with extravagantly high trimmings excited so much laughter and ridicule that a reaction has set in, and for the coming Grand Prix races it is announced there will be a return to small capotes trimmed with flowers and fruits of the month in which the bonnets are worn, raspberries and cherries for July, followed later by apricots and plums. The fruits this year are manufactured of india rubber, which makes them extremely light and at the same time very durable. As an imitation of nature these fruits are simply perfect, and the ornamental fruit pieces which decorate the table at ceremonious dinners, and remain intact to the end, can as well be ordered of the artificial florist's as at the fruiterer's.

The above is a "clipping" from the Paris letter in Harper's Bazar. Now, ladies, is not the idea of fruits upon the head, among the hair, rather nasty? And what kind of taste is that which will allow "imitation" fruits to be brought upon the table at dinner, "to remain intact to the end?" Don't let us have those fashions in America.

Wasn't Tired.

[Harper's Bazar.]

Deacon—Boys! boys! you shouldn't play marbles to day. Sunday's a day of rest, you know. Spokesman—Yes, sir; we know it, but we aren't tired, sir.

A New Postal Card.

A new design of the face of the postal card will soon make its appearance, and it will be a decided improvement on the present design, which has been in use for several years past.

The Majority Rules.

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TO CORRESPONDENTS.

While the TIMES is always prepared to give publicity to the views of correspondents on any question of interest to the public, provided facts are given, couched in unobjectionable language, we wish it to be understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the views expressed by the writers thereof.

Nor can we give room to duplicates of letters that have appeared in our contemporaries either in this city or elsewhere in the province. Correspondents, therefore, will save time and trouble in preparing such for THE TIMES, as they will be rejected.

Our space is valuable, and brevity, as far as possible, should be observed in writing on any topic, and on ONE SIDE of the sheet only.

Lost--Reward.

A Route Subscription List, in a pocket time Book, belonging to THE TIMES OFFICE, *was lost last Tuesday evening. It is of no value to any one except this office. A handsome reward will be paid any one leaving the same at the Counting Room of* THE TIMES *Office.*

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—F. West received 133 hogs per the Olympian to-day.

—Before purchasing Real Estate or insuring your life, see Rand Bros.

—The Queen City Band will play at Campbell's corner at 7 30.

—Tom Palmer, the Victoria pugilist, has been sent for to train Dawe, at Seattle for the coming contest with Dutchey.

—The Eliza Anderson arrived to-day at 12:10 p. m. with a large list of passengers.

—The Alaskan steamer Idaho is due at this port. Senator Jones and party and Governor Swineford and party are waiting her arrival.

—The Victoria St. Andrews Society are contemplating the erection of a hall of their own and the purchase of grounds for picnic and other purposes.

—Mr. Peter Jamieson, the genial steward of the Royal hospital, was indefatigable in his efforts to entertain the passengers on the Yosemite while she lay befogged in the gulf.

—The annual meeting of the St. Andrews Presbyterian Church congregation (Rev. Mr. Stephens) will be held in the church this (Saturday) evening at 8 o'clock.

—It is said that a prominent insurance company of the city has taken a policy of $3000 on the stone man. It is not stated whether it is a fire, or life, policy.

—Rev. Dr. Graves, Evangelist, closed his revival mission at New Westminster last Monday night and has gone to Whatcom. There is reason to believe that considerable good has been accomplished.

—Mr. McArthur and Capt. Rudlin have been awarded the contract of taking the machinery, iron, brass work and valuable wood work out of the Enterprise. They are going to proceed with the work at once. Adieu to the Enterprise.

—The new bank is progressing splendidly. Brick laying on the third story will be started on Monday. When completed it will be by far the handsomest building in the business quarter of the city.

—Dr. Tolmie has sent to our office a sample of red early turnips. The seed was sown early in April, and considering the extraordinarily dry season, they are a splendid evidence of the capabilities of our soil for the production of root crops.

—At the regular monthly meeting of the St. Andrew's Society last evening a minute was recorded expressive of thanks for the return of the president, officers ann members of the society from their recent trip to New Westminster, their safe deliverence from the fog and the roaring waters of the muddy Fraser.

—From Eagle Pass Landing to Farwell the distance is forty-seven miles by the road. But from Eagle Pass Landing to Farwell by the mail route is about 5,000 miles. Letters mailed at Eagle Pass Landing for Farwell are sent down to this city, thence over the N. P. R. to Winnipeg, and thence west over the C. P. R. to Farwell.

—Two Chinamen arrived by the Olympian to-day. One of them was returned from here yesterday for his papers which he procured. Both were merchants. The sixteen captured by the U. S. authorities, and brought here on Thursday in charge of a marshall, were again returned. Our authorities properly take the ground that the evidence must be very clear that they were from this province and were caught trying to steal into the U. S.

—Two marines, who were put in gaol last night for breaking leave, were taken to Esquimalt this morning on the cutter. The blue-jackets of the Triumph were yesterday "Paintin' 'er red," and at one time about thirty of them had exceeded their brief furloughs. By night, however, they were all in their hammocks, moralizing no doubt on the transitory character of the pleasures of a day ashore, and its tendency to produce headaches and general disarrangement of the stomach.

—The Olympian brought freight for the following: W Tinson, C Brackway, D C McIntyre, Neufeldor & Ross, Miss A Flynn, J C Stewart, O Ofner, R Carr, Mason & Tilton, H Saunders, R Lettice, E B Marvin, P McQuade & Son, A Bossi & Co, Fell & Co, J Swift, W Heathorn, J & J Flett, J Finfayson, J S Pitts, W R Austin, J Wise, J Weiler, J Cunningham, E S King, J McPhaden, Kelly Bros, W Prothers, J Redman, E A Gold, F West.

The Hibbs Case.

There will be a regular field day on Monday over the Hibbs case. Mr. T. Davie, counsel for Hibbs, will apply for his release under a writ of habeas corpus, to a bench of three judges of the Supreme Court. P. O. Inspector Murphy, arrived in the city to-day on business connected with this celebrated case, and will probably remain until the application is finally disposed of. Then if the application is refused, he will accompany the distinguished prisoner back to Idaho.

At Beacon Hill.

This afternoon at Beacon Hill, the Civilians and Navy were antagonists in a game of cricket. The officers of the man-of-war, gentlemen of the city cricket club, Marquis of Queensberry, and others partook of a splendid lunch at the Colonist hotel, and afterwards adjourned to the cricket field. The magnificent band of the Triumph contributed to the enjoyment of the players and spectators.

The Letter Boxes.

The new street letter boxes will be placed as follows: Corner Store and Discovery streets; Government street, near Mr. Heisterman's residence; corner Blanchard and Pandora streets; corner Cook and Chatham streets; corner Cook and Fort streets; lot 2, Menzies street, James Bay.

Supt. Haney of the C. P. R.

Mr. M. J. Haney, Superintendent of the Canadian Pacific Railway on the Pacific Coast, was a passenger on the Yosemite yesterday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Haney and child. From Mr. Haney it is learned that the Onderdonk government contract is completed. The syndicate contract from Savona eastward is being pushed toward vigorously. It is now so far advanced that in a few weeks that section of the undertaking will likewise be completed. It will be late in October, however, ere the gap is completed. A large number of men are being daily discharged as employment for them no longer exists. The road from Port Moody eastward is still being operated by Mr. Onderdonk, but whether on behalf of the government or the C. P. R. is not positively known. It is possible the line will be operated this winter as far as Eagle Pass by the C. R. R., by a tri-weekly service, if sufficient traffic is offered to warrant such service. On the question of rates of transportation Mr. Haney is not in a position to state whether a decided reduction will take place or not. Whether there is freight or passenger traffic offered or not a staff of employees has to be maintained; the salaries of these as well as other charges on account of working expenses, and the limited quantity of freight offered will render it necessary to adopt a schedule of charges somewhat higher than those exacted by lines having a large area of traffic producing territory. He thinks, however, that there will be some modifications introduced by the C. P. R. company on assuming control in this province. The road bed is now finished to Salmon River Arm, some 50 miles east of Kamloops. The freight and construction rolling stock is very good, and so soon as the link is completed new stock for the passenger traffic will be sent out from the east. These will all be of the most modern construction. They will embrace sleepers, dining cars, first, second and third class coaches, and will be equal to those in use in the east which are certainly very elegant and comfortable. It is understood that the policy of the C. P. R. management will be such a one as will make their line a popular one with shippers and the traveling community. Mr. Haney announces that he is about to proceed to Montreal and expects to be absent from the province about a couple of months. With this province he is greatly pleased and believes that there is yet a bright future in store for its people. He returns to the mainland on Monday.

Address to Captain Rudlin.

Yesterday afternoon, as the Yosemite was rounding Beacon Hill, the following testimonial was presented to Captain Rudlin by the passengers on board that vessel.

ON BOARD THE YOSEMITE,
Sept. 4th, 1885.

TO CAPTAIN RUDLIN:

DEAR SIR,—We, the passengers on board the Yosemite, deem the present occasion a fitting one to express to you our appreciation of your worth as a navigator, and the thanks we owe you for having displayed such excellent seamanship during the present trip, when the density of the fog rendered navigation hazardous in the extreme. We appreciate fully your desire to exercise caution when precious lives and valuable property are entrusted to your care. Sincerely thanking you, and the officers associated with you in the conduct and management of the ship, for your uniform kindness, and the desire to please and entertain the passengers during the present trip. We are respectfully, John Boyd, President St. Andrews society; James Russell, secretary; M. J. Haney, Thos. Russell, Wm. Dodd, D. McPherson, James McArthur, B. F. Close, Wm. Lorimer, Hugh McGee, Alex. Ewen, A. D. Grieve, A. G. Gamble, A. P. Tietjen, J. Orr, George McCoskery, Wm. Renwick, M. D., H. Rantier, J. C. Doughty, L. Carkrek, Simon Leiser, Wm. Gordon, F. E. Paton, M.B., C.M., James Bone, A. J. Arthens, E. D. McNaughten, J. J. M. Austin, A. H. Findley, W. H. Irvin, Jas. McLauchlin, J. Martley, J. C. McLagan, Henry Mathews, J. B. Hill, D. M. Williams, J. S. Fullarton, Charles Wilson, C. Flezel, W. M. Rulledge, J. B. Tiffin, Peter Jamieson, Charles Pearce, George Cunningham, M. J. Morrison.

The Capt. in his response thanked those who signed the address which was entirely unexpected by him, but which he prized very highly. The fog was about as dense as he had yet encountered and he considered it his duty to be extremely careful. He supposed there were those, however, who thought we should have made greater progress, but they were not familiar with the difficulties that beset navigation in these parts. He was pleased to know that his efforts had given satisfaction.

The Disabled Ancon.

A passenger by the Boscowitz says that the Ancon broke down at Safety Cove about ten miles on the other side of Queen Charlotte Sound. The Alexander would probably get her in tow Friday afternoon, and as the tug will bring her along, the weather being favorable, at the rate of nine miles an hour, they may be expected to reach here to-morrow or Monday. Our informant was of the impression that the accident occurred by one of the wheels striking a snag or log, causing the outer pillar block and shaft to rise up and thus forcing the cylinder head off. The tug Alexander, with Captain Carroll on board was met fifty-five miles north of Nanaimo.

A Hardened Criminal.

Lawrence Mooney, who was sentenced to-day by Mr. Johnson to six months' imprisonment at hard labor, for having liquor in his possession in an Indian's house, is a hardened criminal. He had just completed a term of six months for a similar offence, and only regained his liberty yesterday. He has also appeared before the court on other charges and once narrowly escaped conviction for theft. His conduct indicates that he is naturally depraved, or else that he prefers the inside of the gaol, with its regular diet and comparatively easy work, to the doubtful living that he has been able to pick up outside. "Hard labor" as understood by experienced Victoria criminals, is only a period of rest and recuperation.

A Handsome Residence.

The new residence for Archbishop Seghers, on Yates street, is progressing rapidly, the walls as high as the second story being nearly completed. The building will be a strong and substantial structure, and at the same time large and commodious. When finished, according to the handsome design, it will be an ornament to the city, and a credit to the architect and builders. It is pleasing to note that during the past year or two a new departure has been taken in the construction of residences, with the result that more modern and handsomer dwellings are being erected.

The Commerce House.

Great preparations have been made by Mr. Spencer for displaying to the public the quality and style of the goods kept by him. The interior of the store has been tastily arranged, and to-night, when it is illuminated, the effect will be very striking. The public should not fail to be present.

J. Dassonville & Co., Fort Street, Jewelers, have just received a large assortment of Mexican Filigree Jewelry. This invoice will be sold at reduced rates.

AN IMPORTANT ARREST.

A Norwegian, Charged with Murdering a Companion, Captured To-day.

Officer Walker made an important arrest this morning. About the 6th of August last, in a row at Three Valley Lake, Eagle Pass, a Norwegian, named Louis Wallshad, was killed by a countryman and companion, named John Everson. The dispute, which terminated so fatally, originated in a disagreement between the two men as to some whiskey business in which they were jointly engaged. In the quarrel Everson brutally kicked Wallshad in the abdomen, from the effects of which he died. A reward of $200 was offered by Supt. Roycraft for the capture of the murderer, and this morning Officer Walker saw a man on the street who answered in every particular the description given by the superintendent. When arrested the prisoner admitted to the officer that he had had a row with Wallshad and that he had kicked him. He expressed his regret at the fatal termination of the quarrel, and asked the officer how many years he would be likely to get for the deed. The evidence of the officer was taken in the provincial police court before E. Johnson, S. M., and the prisoner was remanded for eight days. He will probably be taken to Eagle Pass on Monday.

MARINE NOTES.

The ship W. F. Babcock was towed to Nanaimo yesterday morning.

The Barnard Castle passed down last evening for San Francisco.

The Norwegian bark Forto, Capt. Florences, arrived in the roads last evening, twenty-eight days from Honolulu.

The Alden Besse, in tow of the Tacoma, arrived in the harbor this morning from Tacoma.

The bark Spartan, spoken yesterday by the Yosemite, was brought into port this morning at 7 o'clock by Capt. Clements.

The Olympian arrived at 9:30 with considerable freight and a number of passengers. She left again at 12:45.

The Yosemite left this morning at 2:30 for New Westminster. She will return to-morrow.

The American ship James Drummond, Capt. Curtis, is discharging rails and will load at Tacoma for China.

The American bark G. C. Tobey, Capt. Baker, will finish discharging rails this week and will then load at Moodyville.

The Eliza Anderson arrived this morning with passengers and freight from Seattle. She will leave again to-morrow morning at two o'clock for Seattle.

The Teaser arrived from the mainland at 7 o'clock last evening, with fifty passengers and 1500 cases of canned salmon.

At Moodyville, the British bark Pacific Slope, Captain Barnes, is loading for Melbourne.

At Hastings, the British bark Wilo, Captain Brown, is loading lumber for China. The British bark Monarch, Capt. Wilson, is loading for the west coast and will finish this week.

On Thursday night the B. F. Packard, in tow of the Tacoma, and the W. F. Babcock, in tow of the Pilot, collided off Fraser river light. The bowsprit and jib-boom of the latter being carried away.

Complaint is made by some of our mariners that the lighthouse fog bell at the sand heads has not been operated properly during a portion of the late foggy weather. The Slope waited an hour, whistling all the time, but no answering sound came from the lighthouse.

The ship Spartan, of Bath, Me., Capt. Rossley, was spoken fifteen miles up the straits, having passed this port without knowing it in the fog. Pilot Clements, who was on the Yosemite at the time, went on board and took charge of the ship. She is bound for this port from San Francisco to take a cargo of Chinese and lumber to Hongkong.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Hugh McGee, one of the oldest settlers of the North Arm is in the city.

Mr. William Dodd of Spallumcheen is in the city.

Mr. Fawcett, of H. M. Customs, is quite ill, being confined to his house.

Mr. S. Leiser yesterday returned from a business visit to the mainland.

Mr. Alex Ewen, of New Westminter, is in the city.

H E Lewis, of Montreal; R E Davis, Seattle; John Forgie, D Ross, San Francisco, are at the Driard.

Capt. Martley, of Pavillion Mountain was a passenger by the Yosemite yesterday.

Dr. Paton, of Edinburgh, returned from the mainland yesterday. He is not favorably impressed with this province, and purposes returning home via San Francisco.

Senator McInnes, of New Westminster, is advertising in the Toronto Globe for rooms and board for himself and family in that city, from 1st of October to 1st of next June.

The Yosemite's passenger list yesterday: Mr and Miss Haney, Mr and Mrs Russell, Mrs Phillips, Miss McPhee, Miss McLuman, John Boyd, Thos Russell, J McLagan, J Lorimer, Dr Renwick, Jas Orr, H McKee, B T Chase Douglas, E McNaughton, Tenlay, Karkeek, Bucker, W Gordon, S Leiser, Jarmison, Greive, J Authors, Hill, U Bell.

The Olympian brought the following passengers to-day: Miss Pattison, D M McKay, J J Murphy, Mrs Beckinsale and child, H Mahn, E A Gardner, Dan Ross, J Cream, M Salbreth, T Kelly, F West, A West, C H Hart, A Davis, H Mahn, John Forge, H E Lewis, P Atlow, P Gremer, J Couper, W Lenord, R E Davis, M Fagan, H Bornstein, H Parks, J Wilson, and 4 Italians.

An Unprejudiced Opinion.

The Railway Age, of Chicago, says: "Whatever its ultimate value as a business enterprise the Canadian Pacific Railway is certainly going to provide liberal things for the public who will get the benefit of its existence. It is thoroughly a modern American railway of the best class, in construction and equipment. Its builders have had the benefit of the combined experience of the railway world, and starting new, without old patterns and old methods to interfere with their design, they are able to proceed upon the plan of getting the best of everything. The equipment of the Canadian Pacific is remarkably excellent and beautiful. Locomotives, sleeping cars, dining cars, coaches of all classes and all other equipment and appliances show the results of the adoption of high standards, followed by lavish expenditures of money. Perhaps the most sumptuous and expensive sleeping and dining cars in existence are those which are about to commence doing duty between Montreal and Winnipeg. American railway men hardly appreciate the magnitude of the Canadian Pacific enterprise or the influence which it is destined to exert, and this hasty glance at its present status may have a useful effect by suggesting practical reflections. It is only an outline of a subject on which a volume might be written."

Lake School.

The following is the monthly report of Lake public school for August, 1885. W. M. Wood, teacher. 4th class—1st, Nellie Stevens; 2nd, Sarah Lindsay; 3rd, Eliza Lindsay. 3rd class—1st, Jas. Black; 2nd, Charlie Jones; 3rd, Fred Lindsay. 2nd class—1st, Isabella Black; 2nd, Mary Black; 3rd, John Lindsay. 1st Book, Part II.—Louis Duval. 1st Book, Part I.—1st, Jos. Henry Goyette; 2nd, Maggie Black.

FROM THE NORTH.

Arrival of the Boscowitz—Latest Intelligence.

The Barbara Boscowitz, Capt. Williams, arrived last evening. She brought a large quantity of freight and the following

PASSENGERS

B W Pearse, J Isaacs, J Gray, F Brentizen, L Stetz, A Bates, Geo Williscroft, J McAllister, W H Smith, M Hart, J Rudguist, J Green, V Kallern, J Payment, P Kerr, D Lyons, S Evans, J Neil, S W Strong, C Maddock, P Hudland, W Hartrader, W Harrington, J Hollows, J Sayyes, J Graham, F Beegan, M Welsh, Mrs Yeomans, R Hunt, Miss Hunt, Mrs Spencer, C McHardy, Ned Frigon. For Nanaimo—Rev A E Green and Mrs Green and family, Rev D Jennings, R Williams, A Olson, Capt Sturt. Four Indians and five Chinamen, were also among the passengers.

FROM KITSUMKAYLUM.

Mr. Sam Evans, who went up in March last returned by the Boscowitz. He has been at the mines at Kitsumkaylum and Lorne creek. At the former place there are now about fifteen white miners at work. One company had sunk a shaft seventy feet, and at the bottom, on the top of the gravel, taken out $17 75, and they expect when they get to bed rock to strike it rich. The gold is coarse, and the indications are considered very encouraging. Another company, with which Ned Donohue is connected, is taking out from $3 to $4 per day, and are hopeful of better things ahead. The district is believed to be a rich one, but capital is required to develope it.

AT LORNE CREEK

about fifty or sixty white miners remain, and they average about $3 per day. The "Young American" is making wages, and Joe Irving is doing about the same. Larkin Bros. have eight men at work blasting the rock, while one man is able to shovel all the dirt into the sluice box. There is no rich find to report, and although the bright prospects of the spring have not yet been realized, the hopes of the miners, at least of those remaining, are not daunted.

THE GOLD

brought down by the steamer, apart from that brought by passengers, amounts to about $3000. The output of the two mining camps, it has been estimated, will aggregate for the season $18,000 or $20,000.

THE WHOLE REGION

abounds in game of every description. Grouse, mountain sheep, deer, bears, beaver and martin are very plentiful. The lakes are also full of trout and other fish, and it does not require much skill with the rifle or the fishing-rod to keep ones larder well stocked with provisions. Thirty miles above Fort Simpson a seven foot seam of coal was discovered, and one hundred and twenty miles above the forks still another seam, six feet thick. The

HEALTH OF THE COMMUNITY

is not good, fevers being prevalent. Many of the miners are also temporarily laid up with cuts and bruises. One young man, named Vesay, who had come with a drove of cattle from the wagon road, died after a short illness from typhoid fever. He was about 22 years of age.

LADNER'S LANDING NOTES.

The young people of the Delta, in the neighborhood of Ladner's Landing, have organized a mutual improvement society. There meetings are held fortnightly. The officers for the present year are: Mr. Ernest Hutchinson, president; Miss Bunting, vice-president; Mrs. C. F. Green, secretary; Mr. Alex. Gilchrist, news editor, and Mr. F. W. Howay, critic. The last subject debated drew a large attendance to the school house. It was resolved that the mechanic is a more independent personage than the farmer. Arguments were advanced on both sides. At the conclusion of the debate it was decided that those advanced by the affirmative were not effectively answered by the negative, and the decision rendered in favor of the mechanic.

Mr. James A. Laidlaw, about a couple of weeks since, while leading a horse on to a steamer at the wharf, got his back injured, in consequence of the animal becoming refractory. At times Mr. Laidlaw still suffers severely from his injury, compelling him to use a staff to support him while in attendance on his business.

The harvest season is over in this section. Roots, this year, in consequence of the continued drouth, will not be up to their former averages. Grain, however, is good, while the fruit crop is likewise fine. The Delta can produce plums and smaller fruits that are not excelled even by those of California.

The fire is still raging, and strong efforts had to be used a few days since to save the school house. The smoke is dense and the atmosphere full of embers falling like flakes of snow miles away from the scene of the fire.

The canneries are all but deserted. The process of a final inspection, labeling and boxing is now going on, preparatory to shipment. The season has been a most favorable one for the industry. In the Delta cannery there are many thousands of cans and cases yet to be sent out.

Mr. McNeally states that business at the Landing is increasing rapidly; that the shipments from the wharf this year will be far in excess of any previous record. That the increase in the future is certain to be large, as the district is being rapidly settled up and new roads built and the present system extended, enabling settlers to move about with ease and rapidity.

Spallumcheen Happenings.

From a correspondent at Spallumcheen we learn that the crops in that district are now safely harvested and that the early prospects of an abundant yield are likely to be realized. The acreage under crop this year was larger than last, but although the yield will be good it will not be so heavy in the aggregate in consequence of the severe and continued drouth of the present summer.

Quite a number of farms have changed hands since spring and the prices realized have been considered fair. The number of land hunters and prospectors this summer were not as numerous as last years. Those who took up land a year ago are highly pleased with their prospects.

Hugh F. Keefer who recently established a general store at Bellevedire Landing, about twenty-eight miles above Eagle Pass, had a quantity of liquor seized by Dominion officer Chas. Todd. It is supposed the store is being located outside of the railway belt and unless the Public Works Act embraces the whole territory, Mr. Todd has exceeded his jurisdiction. Messrs. Campbell & Skinner have likewise established a general store at this point which is likely to become an important one. Already considerable shipping is transacted, potatoes being the chief staple, for which there is a brisk demand. They are of excellent quality this year.

An hotel has been opened by Mr. C. M. Furstenau at Lansdowne. This is a want that has long been felt in that section of the country, by both travelers and visitors. Already Mr. Furstenau is doing a good business, as he is very popular with the public.

Mr. William Dodd sold his general store to Messrs. Hannington and Costerton, who are certain to push a considerable trade.

A Campaign Secret Given Away.

In the campaign of 1884 the two candidates for governor in a "pivotal" Western State arraigned for a series of joint discussions. Both men were popular, both of fine appearance and were so well matched in mental force and as orators that the contest between them promised to be a magnificent one. For several weeks the scales balanced evenly.

But one day the brilliant Republican candidate came up ailing. He seemed overcome and spoke laboredly. The next day he was even less effective. Later he was compelled to ask his opponent for a postponement of certain appointments, which was granted. Before the campaign ended he had abandoned the field altogether.

Meantime the Democratic candidate continued his canvass, seeming to grow stronger, cheerier and more effective with each succeeding week. He was elected. One evening in December while entertaining several gentlemen he said:

"I will tell you a campaign secret—which gave me the election. With the opening of my campaign I began caring for my liver. I knew that a disordered or torpid liver meant dullness and possible sickness. I took something every day. When my opponent began failing I knew his trouble to be his liver and felt like prescribing for him, but feared if I did so he might beat me! I grew stronger as the campaign progressed, often making two speeches a day. Even my voice, to my surprise, did not fail me once. All because Warner's safe cure kept me in A 1 trim." Ex-governor Jacob of Kentucky, also made a campaign tour under precisely similar circumstances and says he kept under the exhausting strain by the use of the same means.—Rochester Union.

THE SLEEPING CHILDREN.

Was ever scene so wondrous fair,
In this dark world of grief and care,
As this, disclosed to view?
There, nestling in their cosey bed,
Sweet sleep has drawn wing hath spread
O'er each fair darling's brow!

Oh what a dream of deep delight
Steals o'er my spirit, at the sight
Of innocence like this!
Fond fancy listens, fain to hear
Soft whisp'ring in each sleeping ear,
A guardian angel's voice!

No wonder though those beings love
And wander from their homes above
To guard such little beds;
For children won the endearing smile
Of Him, whose heart was free from guile,
He blessed such little heads!

And blessings still descend in showers
Upon those dear domestic flowers,
Wher'er to earth they come.
All nature's face beam fair to sight,
And stars effulst down a softer light,
Around their happy home!

Yet as I gaze, methinks I feel
A sense of sadness o'er me steal:
Ah childhood's days are fleet!
Sharp are the rocks that frown before,
Which few, alas, pass scatheless o'er,
Where snares and sorrow meet!

Shall these young brows, so bright and fair,
Be pressed beneath a weight of care?
Shall sorrow over wring
Hearts that now are all unclouded,
Hope's fair star not yet enshrouded,
Neath misery's sable wing?

But why thus scan their future way,
Or raise up doubts that may betray?
Oh, rather be our prayer
That He who gave them, still may guide
Through every danger to His side
To dwell for ever there!

And if the prayer of faith and love,
Bringe down His blessing from above:
Then truely strong the soul;
God's Word thy chart by which to steer,
His Love's bright pole-star beaming clear
Shall guide thee without fail!

We ask not wealth to gild thy way,
And beauty's charm will soon decay:
Be love and truth thy store:
Be thine the father's noble mind;
Be like thy mother, good and kind;
We ask for nothing more!

Meetings of Societies.

ST. ANDREWS and CALEDONIAN Society meets in their hall, corner Langley and Fort Streets, on the FIRST FRIDAY of every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join.
sep 1 3y JAMES RUSSELL, Secretary.

Death of Charles Dewsnap.

The young man Charles Dewsnap, whose reason became dethroned a few weeks since, and his removal to New Westminster asylum was deemed necessary as then mentioned in THE TIMES, died on Thursday in that institution. His remains were brought over yesterday on the Yosemite.

POLICE COURT.

(Before Edwin Johnson, Esq., S. M.)

John D. Murphy, drunk; $5 or one week.

John Costello, drunk; $5 or one week.

Thos. B. Nettleton, exposing his person on the streets; fined $10.

Lawrence Mooney, in possession of an intoxicant in an Indian's house; sentenced to six months at hard labor.

Music Lessons.

A young lady who has had the advantage of receiving instruction in music from Professor Oliver King, (Pianist to Princess Louise) is desirous of obtaining a limited number of music pupils, and will give lessons at her residence, or if desired at their own homes. For particulars enquire at M. W. Waitt's music store.

Filigree Jewelry.

We have examined some of this work at J. Dassonville & Co.'s, Fort street, and find it really remarkable how threads of silver so fine can be spun and made to form such beautiful styles of ornaments for the ladies. An early call will secure a choice selection.

For the New Church.

The ladies of the Methodist congregation are engaged in preparing a bazaar in aid of the new church and any assistance will be gratefully received by the following ladies: Mrs. D. Spencer, Mrs. Shakespeare, Mrs. Bertzhobler and Mrs. G. Grant.

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One hundred and fifty Jerseys received to-day at the White House. Hutcheson, Young & Co.

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NOTICE.

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Two Hours of Uninterrupted Fun!
Seats secured at Waitt's Music Store. Prices as usual, $1; Gallery, 50 cents. sep4

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Dissolution of Partnership.
THE partnership heretofore existing between Jules Boucherat and Michael Cameron, carrying on the business of Wholesale Merchants on Yates street, Victoria, under the firm name of Boucherat & Cameron, has been dissolved from August 1st, 1885. The late Mr. Cameron's interest having been withdrawn, the business will in future be carried on by Messrs. Jules Boucherat, Jean Coignlarrupe and Casimir Bagemont, under the firm name of Boucherat & Co., they assuming the assets and liabilities of the late firm.
Victoria, Sept. 2, 1885. sep2 1w

Notice:
NOTICE is hereby given that we, the undersigned, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land described as follows:
Commencing at a post about 4 miles west of Stone Narrows Valdes Island, running west 80 chains, thence south 40 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence following the shore to point of commencement.
WM. M. PHERSON.
GEORGE HEALEY.
September 2, 1885. sep2 1m w